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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated 11/03/2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On Page 1, Line 2, please insert as a centered heading -- FIELD OF THE INVENTION --.

On Page 1, Line 5, please insert as a centered heading -- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --.

On Page 1, Line 7, after the following text "Security is often provided by" please insert -- user identifications or --.

On Page 4, Line 21, after "utilize" please insert -- Hyper Text Transfer Protocol --, please delete -- HTTP-- and insert -- ("HTTP") --.

On Page 4, Line 21, delete -- FTP-- and please insert -- File Transport Protocol ("FTP") --, please delete -- UDP -- and please insert -- User Datagram Protocol ("UDP") --; please delete -- TCP/IP--, and please insert -- Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol ("TCP/IP")--; please delete -- LDAP -- and please insert -- Lightweight Directory Access Protocol ("LDAP") --.

IN THE DRAWINGS: Formal drawings are enclosed to replace the original informal drawings.

IN THE ABSTRACT: Please see REPLACEMENT ABSTRACT on Page 3.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper